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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk / Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100
Columbia, SC 29210

Re: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC 2018 Integrated Resource Plan

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Pursuant to SC Code § 58-37-40, enclosed for filing is Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's ("DEC") 2018 Integrated Resource Plan Annual Report ("2018 DEC IRP"). In addition to the 2018 DEC IRP being electronically filed with the Commission, we are also hand-delivering bound copies to the Office of Regulatory Staff and the State Energy Office.

Please contact me should you have any questions.

Kind regards,

Sam Wellborn

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Enclosures

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